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DAHLIA

BULBS

for 1922



Grown by
Emmett Dove
Rockville, Maryland

DOVE'S EXQUISITE DAHLIAS

Introduction



In presenting our descriptive price list for the Spring 1922, we would call attention to the exceptionally choice collection of varieties which it contains. They have been selected out of thousands for healthy growth, large and perfect flowers, good bloomers, and long stems.

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Abbreviations:..C—Cactus; H C—Hybrid Cactus;
D—Decorativs; P—Peony flowered; S—Show.

A. D. LAVONI (S)—Shell pink, good	25c
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*ALBA LORNA (P)—Glistening white, long stems, fine	50c
ALBERT MANDA (D)—Large flowers, strong stems, a beautiful shade of lemon mixed with white and pink	50c
AMERICAN BEAUTY (D)—Rich ruby red, large size, strong stems	50c
*APPLE BLOOM (P)—Lemon yellow edged with pink	50c
*AUTUMN BEAUTY (D)—Bronzy pink with gol- den sheen	50c
BEN WILSON (D)—One of the largest and of fine form, orange red tipped with gold ..	\$2.00
*BERNARD DAY (P)—A beautiful shade of lav- ender pink, good stems, a fine cut flower..	75c
BESSIE BOSTON (D)—Scarlet, with petals finely cleft, flowers large, strong stems....	35c
*BILLY BIRD (D)—Beautiful shade of dark red, long stems	25c
BREEZE LAWN (D)—Vivid vermillion, perfect form with good full center, free flowering..	75c
CAECILIA (P)—Large lemon yellow	25c
CAPT. GRAHAM (D)—One of the largest flow- ers grown, color is pure yellow	\$1.50
*CHARLOTTE LEE (D)—Enormous full flower of a lovely shade of pink, plants vigorous. good stems	\$1.00
COCATOO (C)—Good form, profuse and early blomer. Clear sulphur yellow tipped with white, often flowers all white or all yellow on the same plant	40c
COPPED (D)—Odd coloring of copper shading to bronze, free bloomer, good stems.....	75c
CORRIE (D)—A distinct and beautiful shade of heliotrope pink, free flowering and one of the best novelties of the day	50c
CUBAN GIANT (S)—Dark margin, flowers of immense size	25c
COUNTESS OF LONSDALE (C)—Salmon pink and amber, fine for cutting	25c

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- C. W. HAYDEN (D)**—A very fine rich purple, flowers of enormous size, plants are strong growers, and for exhibition it is a wonder. **\$1.00**
- DELICE (D)**—Glowing rose pink, splendid for cutting **25c**
- DIANA (H C)**—Large attractive bloom of fine form, crimson and violet reflected color, fine stems, good cut flower **75c**
- D. M. MOORE (D)**—Immense blooms of dark maroon, fine **75c**
- DOROTHY PEACOCK (S)**—Pale pink shading to white **25c**
- *DOZIER (D)**—Large bright red, long stems.... **35c**
- DR. PEARY (P)**—Dark velvet mahogany red, the darkest of all, a very large and beautiful flower **50c**
- *E. DOVE (P)**—Very large lavender pink, free flowering, very strong grower **\$1.00**
- *ESTHER (P)**—Color rosy purple, fine for cutting **50c**
- EVANGELINE (C)**—Cream white, prolific grower, good stems **75c**
- EVENTIDE (D)**—White, with pink shadings, fine for cutting **35c**
- EXTASE (C)**—Lavender tinged with pink, very desirable **50c**
- FLAMINGO (D)**—An excellent variety for cutting by reason of its fine stems and clear deep pink color, very prolific **75c**
- FRANCIS BUTTE (D)**—Immense blush white flowers, good bloomer, long stems **35c**
- FUTURITY (D)**—A deep old rose, large flowers on long stems, freely produced **75c**
- GEN. CUSTER (D)**—A gigantic new variety, color a soft satiny rose, good stems **75c**
- GLORY OF NEW HAVEN (D)**—The flowers are a clear lavender pink distinctly veined deeper lavender, produced on long stiff stems.. **\$2.00**
- GOLDEN WEST (C)**—Golden yellow, free bloomer, good stems **50c**
- GOLDEN EAGLE (C)**—Bright yellow suffused with rose and fawn **25c**
- GRAND DUKE ALEXIS (S)**—White tinged with soft lavender **25c**

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- GRIZZLY (D)**—Dark maroon, extra large flowers. A rare novelty\$1.00
- HENRY MAIER (D)**—Large flowers of a beautiful shade of deep yellow, free flowering with good stems, last well when cut50c
- HORTULANUS FIET (D)**—Salmon rose shading to old rose in center, immense flowers borne on good stems75c
- HORTULANUS WITTE (D)**—Pure white, fine for cutting35c
- HOWITZER (P)**—The gorgeous yellow blooms are striped and splashed with scarlet, its immense size, free blooming habit and long stems make it an ideal cut flower\$1.00
- *IDELLA (D)**—Blend of carmine and amaranth purple, very large and free flowering, good stems (awarded the American Dahlia Society's "Certificate of Merit" 1920)\$2.50
- *INDIAN (D)**—Mammoth red, good stems. This Dahlia should be in every collection\$1.00
- INSULINEE (D)**—Flowers of immense size, with all the colors of the autumn sun—yellows blending with the reds, orange and golden effects and tints\$2.50
- JENNIE BARRON (D)**—A rich carmine rose, very free flowering75c
- J. GORDON GURNEY (D)**—Tyrian rose shading to old rose, while toward the center of the flower, the petals are a rich orange rose overlaid with a golden sheen\$2.00
- J. H. JACKSON (C)**—This is one of the best black cactus Dahlias25c
- JOHN RIDING (C)**—Enormous blooms of deep rich crimson50c
- JUSTICE BAILEY (H C)**—Color a rich glowing red crimson, borne on long strong stem....75c
- KALIF (H C)**—An extra large flower of rich pink, shading a little lighter toward the center, perfect in form75c
- KING ALBERT (D)**—Rich purple, large flowers, fine\$1.00
- KING OF THE AUTUMN (D)**—Color, buff yellow, suffused with terra cotta amber, stems very long, free bloomer75c
- *KLONDYKE (D)**—Deep yellow, fine25c

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- ***KRIMEDA (C)**—Pink, shading to white at center25c
- ***LAVENDER BEAUTY (P)**—A delicate shade of lavender, good stems50c
- ***LUCILLE (C)**—Deep pink with incurved petals, resembling in form a Japanese chrysanthemum35c
- ***LORETTO (P)**—Dwarf bronze, long stems, fine for cutting or garden\$1.00
- ***LUCY DOWDEN (D)**—Sulphur yellow, long stems, fine for cutting\$1.00
- MAD. VAN. den DALE (D)**—White, flushed with rosy pink25c
- MADONNA (D)**—Ivory white, free bloomer, long stiff stems75c
- MAMMOTH (D)**—Soft shade of red; a large flower with good stems40c
- MARGARET BOUCHON (C)**—Soft rose with white center, fine cut flower50c
- MARJORIE FIELD (D)**—A wonderful shade of pink, flowers of finest form with good high center. A rare and much prized Dahlia \$1.00
- MASTERPIECE (D)**—A beautiful flower of pale old gold, very long stiff stems50c
- MILLIONAIRE (D)**—A monster Dahlia borne erect on strong stems. The color is lavender shading to light in the center. A fine exhibition variety\$2.50
- MINA BURGLE (D)**—Rich cardinal red, free bloomer, splendid for cutting and garden cultivation35c
- ***MLLE. DAZIE (D)**—Shrimp pink with salmon and gold suffusion, very free bloomer, fine..\$1.00
- MRS. de LUCCA (C)**—Rich shading of orange and yellow25c
- MRS. J. G. GASSETT (D)**—A pleasing shade of mauve pink50c
- MRS. JESSIE SEAL (P)**—Flowers of largest size, color a beautiful shade of salmon pink, good in every respect\$1.00
- MRS. JOHN L. EMERSON (D)**—A warm shade of red and gold, an ideal Dahlia for garden decoration\$1.00

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- MRS. WM. J. ROWE (D)**—Very large, but graceful flower, beautiful combination of amber shading to clear yellow in the center, very free, a most useful variety for garden or exhibition\$2.00
- NIEBELUNGENHORT (C)** — A beautiful shade of old rose with golden apricot suffusion ...50c
- OLD GOLD (C)**—Golden yellow, a splendid flower for all purposes25c
- OREGON BEAUTY (D)**—Intense oriental red with golden sheen35c
- *OSCEOLA (P)**—Lemon yellow, good25c
- PARICK O'MARA (D)**—The color is unusually soft and pleasing shade of orange buff, slightly tinged with neyron rose\$3.00
- *PEARL (P)**—A very pale shade of pink, very free flowering, large blooms, good stems ...50c
- PIERRE LE BLOD (D)**—Maroon, tipped white, excellent stems. The free flowering habit and odd coloring make it a favorite cut flower75c
- PRINCESS JULIANA (D)**—Creamy white, one of the earliest to bloom, continuing in good shape all season25c
- PRINCESS PAT (D)**—Beautiful shade of old rose, stout stems, and large blooms *....\$2.50
- RED FLAG (D)**—Bright velvety crimson red...50c
- *RED RUSSELL (D)**—Large velvety red, well formed flower, good stems\$1.60
- ROSE GEM (P)**—Salmon pink with a silver sheen, perfect habit\$1.00
- ROSEMAWR (D)**—Rich rose pink, immense flowers\$2.00
- SELMA (P)**—Very pale pink, a beautiful flower on good stems50c
- SOUTH POLE (C)**—Massive pure white, long stems50c
- SOUTHERN BELLE (C)**—Rich maroon, a fine large flower35c
- STARTLER (D)**—A beautiful shade of scarlet, large flowers, long stems\$1.00
- SULPHUREA (D)**—Sulphur yellow, with long petals thrown back, resembling in form a Japanese chrysanthemum75c

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SWIFT (D)—Bright yellow often tipped with white, very profuse bloomer\$1.00

THE LION (C)—A good, wiry flower. Color, bronze, old rose, suffused yellow and salmon50c

***WAXE (D)**—An enormous flower of exquisite coloring, creamy pink blending to salmon on the outer edge of the petals, shading to cream in the center.

The large branching bushes laden with exquisite flowers all season attracted most unusual attention and admiration, and I believe it to be one of the most prolific Dahlias grown today.

During the unprecedented drought of the past season, it stood out in contrast to the other varieties, being a mass of bloom from August until November, showing its drought resisting qualities by its strong growth.

Fine for cut flowers as well as exhibition. (Awarded the American Dahlia Society's "Certificate of Merit" 1921)

Strong roots \$5.00

WODAN (H C)—Salmon rose shading to old gold, large but not coarse flowers50c

W. W. RAWSON (S)—Pure white overlaid with amethyst blue25c

YELLOW COLLOSSE (D)—Bright yellow, one of the best for cut flowers25c

YELLOW KING (H C)—Clear yellow, extra large flowers, profuse bloomer75c

DAHLIA BULBS, mixed colors, my own selection, \$2.00 per dozen.

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